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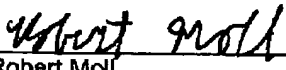
Re: **Rule 1.312 Amendment After Allowance**
U.S. Application No. 10/696,327, entitled:
Data Replication in Data Storage Systems

Dear Examiner Alam:

As you requested in the interview yesterday, I have enclosed Rule 1.312 Amendment After Allowance that I mailed along with the issue fee papers to the PTO today.

If the amendment looks correct, please enter it tomorrow and if not, please call me at my cell phone above to discuss your proposed change.

Please confirm receipt by email reply and call if you have any question or comment.


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Dear Examiner Alam:

In response to our interview on September 27, 2006, please promptly enter the
amendment and consider the remarks: